No. R. 7499—*Agri.* 148-11-2, *dated* 8*th June* 1912.

The accompanying Resolution of the Government of India No. 3639—3660-4, dated 8th May 1912, regarding the Panama-Pacific Exposition proposed to be held at San Francisco, 1915, is published for general information.

By Order,
K. R. SRINIVASIENGAR,
Officiating Secretary to Government, General and Revenue Departments.

No. 3639—3660—4.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

COMMERCIAL EXHIBITION.

RESOLUTION.

Simla, the 8th May 1912.

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Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

By the President of the United States of America.

A proclamation.

Whereas, in conformity with the conditions and requirements of the Joint Resolution of Congress approved 15th February 1911, "Authorising the President to invite foreign countries to participate in the Panama-Pacific International Exposition in nineteen hundred and fifteen, at San Francisco, California," satisfactory proof has been presented to me that a suitable site has been selected for the said Exposition and that the sum of not less than fifteen million dollars will be available to enable the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company, a corporation organised and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California for the purpose of inaugurating, carrying forward, and holding an exposition at the City of San Francisco, California, in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen, to celebrate the completion and opening of the Panama Canal;

Now, therefore, I, William Howard Taft, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the authority vested in me by said Joint Resolution, do hereby declare and proclaim that such International Exposition will be opened in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen, in the City of San Francisco, in the State of California. And, in the name of the Government and of the people of the United States of America, I do hereby invite all the nations of the earth to take part in the commemoration of an event of great interest and importance to the world by appointing representatives to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition and sending thereto such exhibits as will most fitly and fully illustrate their resources, their industries, and their progress in civilisation.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

(Seal.) Done at the City of Washington this second day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twelve, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and thirty-sixth.

WM. H. TAFT.

By the President,
P. C. KNOX,
Secretary of State.

(No. 1178.)

ORDERED,—that the foregoing proclamation be published in the *Gazette of India*, and that copies be forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations named in the margin *, for information.

Ordered, also, that a copy be forwarded to the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara and the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor-General, North-West Frontier Province, and to the Foreign Department, for information.

Ordered, also, that a copy be forwarded to all Chambers of Commerce, for information.

* The Government of Madras,
" " of Bombay,
" " of Bengal.
" " of the United Provinces.
" " of the Punjab.
" " of Burma,
" " of Bihar and Orissa.
The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces.
The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Assam.
The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Coorg

R. E. ENTHOVEN,
Secretary to the Government of India.